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## NOTIFICATION OF ELECTION

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Applicant

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1. The designated Office is hereby notified of its election made:



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NOTIFICATION OF THE RECORDING  
OF A CHANGE(PCT Rule 92bis.1 and  
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From the INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

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